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For: MODIFIED NATURAL RUBBER

Date: March 12, 1999Docket No.: 649-619P**LARGE ENTITY TRANSMITTAL FORM**Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
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